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Conclusion

Applicants believe that the foregoing Amendment to the Claims section is now compliant under 37 C.F.R. 1.121, and, as such, the present application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

Prompt and favorable consideration of this Reply to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment together with the Amendment and Reply filed on September 4, 2009, is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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